

FORECAST — Moderate south-westerly winds, fair and mild. Thursday, slightly unsettled with scattered showers and mist.

Sunshine yesterday, 9 hours 30 minutes.

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22	1:16	7:10:10	4:01:16
23	3:34	8:02:04	3:51:17
24	3:50	8:11:33	3:01:18
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Sun sets, 6:28; rises Thursday, 6:12.

PRICE FIVE CENTS

Proposals for Saving Winnipeg From Bankruptcy

Goldenberg Commission Says Railways Should Pay More

No City Manager

WINNIPEG (CP)—As steps toward eliminating Winnipeg's \$1,000,000 deficit, the Goldenberg Royal Commission report recommends opening of new revenue sources, additional contributions from the two main railways, but frowns on proposals for the city manager form of administration.

The report, tabled in the Manitoba Legislature this afternoon, was the result of a study of civic finances by a commission headed by H. Carl Goldenberg, Montreal authority on municipal government.

In rejecting city manager proposals, the report declares the commission found reforms accomplished in other areas by this form of civic government had been in operation in Winnipeg for some time.

Large tax exemptions granted the Canadian Pacific and Canadian National Railways came under review with the report questioning an agreement entered into, in 1881 with the C.P.R. regarding sums to be paid the city. It is unfair, the report says, for Winnipeg taxpayers to carry the burden of caring for railway employees when they are forced on relief by temporary layoffs and, therefore, recommends steps toward collecting more revenue from the railways.

NEW TAXES OPPOSED

The report urges the city's annual sinking fund instalment of approximately \$1,300,000 be transferred to ordinary budget purposes whereby the civic budget would be balanced and no new taxes required. Transfer of sinking fund instalments would be made through establishment of a fund to be called the debt redemption equalization fund.

Under this idea, interest could be paid on civic debts in full each year, the report says.

The commission favors increase in the mill rate in view of "substantial declines recently in the city's assessment." Assessment dropped by nearly \$50,000 since 1931.

Avenues of increased revenue charted by the commission include:

Increase of 20 per cent from 14½ per cent of the business tax rate on T. Eaton Co. Ltd. and the Hudson's Bay Co., department stores.

Pledge of Defence

VANCOUVER (CP)—A pledge to fight for Canada and democracy "with our lives if necessary" was given by more than 200 Vancouver Ukrainians who met last night to protest seizure of Carpatho-Ukraine by Hungary.

Resolutions pledging armed support to Canada and urging the Dominion government to impose an embargo on the export of war materials to aggressor nations were passed by the meeting.

Chamberlain Sees Bonnet

LONDON (CP)—Prime Minister Chamberlain today conferred with Foreign Minister Georges Bonnet, who is with President and Mme. Albert Lebrun of France during their state visit here.

THE WEATHER

VICTORIA, 8 a.m. today—Pressure remains low over the British Columbia coast and high over the state. Weather has been fair and warm in this province with the exception of the north coast, where snow is reported. It is quite cold throughout the prairie provinces.

Victoria—Barometer, 30.10; temperature, max, 58, min, 42; wind, 4 miles N.E.; clear. Victoria—Barometer, 30.12; temperature, max, 64, min, 38; wind, 4 miles N.E.; clear.

Fraser River—Barometer, 29.88; temperature, max, 36, min, 32; wind, 4 miles N.E.; clear. San Francisco—Barometer, 30.08; temperature, max, 64, min, 52; wind, 12 miles W.; raining.

Victoria—Max, 65; Min, 37. Vancouver—Max, 64; Min, 38. New Westminster—Max, 63; Min, 38. Prince Rupert—Max, 62; Min, 32. Dawson—Max, 52; Min, 32. Seattle—Max, 64; Min, 44. Portland—Max, 58; Min, 36. San Francisco—Max, 58; Min, 36. Kamloops—Max, 58; Min, 36. Prince George—Max, 61; Min, 32. Estevan—Max, 66; Min, 38. Portage la Prairie—Max, 66; Min, 38. Vernon—Max, 51; Min, 32. Medicine Hat—Max, 52; Min, 32. Grand Forks—Max, 52; Min, 32. Kaslo—Max, 52; Min, 32. Calgary—Max, 64; Min, 38. Edmonton—Max, 64; Min, 38. Prince Albert—Max, 46; Min, 32. Moose Jaw—Max, 54; Min, 32. Regina—Max, 46; Min, 32. Winnipeg—Max, 45; Min, 32. Toronto—Max, 58; Min, 32. Ottawa—Max, 54; Min, 32. St. John—Max, 34; Min, 28. Halifax—Max, 34; Min, 28.

French President Honored By City of London

Lebrun Cheered In Streets On Way to Guild Hall Luncheon

Ministers Attend

LONDON (CP-Havas)—A crowd greeted French President Albert Lebrun and Mme. Lebrun as they drove to the Guildhall today to lunch with the Lord Mayor of London, Prime Minister Chamberlain and members of the cabinet.

Troops stood stiffly at attention as the President's party passed and nearly 10,000 persons packed



PRESIDENT LEBRUN

WPA INQUIRY IN U.S. PROPOSED

House Committee Passes Motion, But Government Opposed

WASHINGTON (AP)—The United States House of Representatives rules committee approved a resolution today directing the appropriations committee to make a "thorough investigation" of the Works Progress Administration.

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Backers of the resolution, which requires only House approval, said administration leaders were opposed to it.

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SAFETY MOVES ON SWEEP TICKETS

VANCOUVER (CP)—Harold Marshall, 20-year-old Lulu Island truck driver who holds an Irish Hospital Sweepstakes ticket on Underbird in the Grand National Steeplechase, will probably sell half interest to a New York syndicate for \$4,070, his father, John Henry Marshall, said today.

BELLEVILLE, Ont. (CP)—"A hand in the hand is worth two of a horse going over a fence," says Fred Ritchie worker in the Cordova mines of north Hastings County.

So yesterday he accepted the offer of \$4,070 by a New York syndicate for a half-share in the Irish Hospital Sweepstakes ticket he holds on Underbird, a 22-to-1 shot in Friday's Grand National Steeplechase at Aintree.

If Underbird comes home in front, bringing him a half-share of the \$150,000 first prize, Ritchie will build a "little home out here and enjoy life hunting and fishing."

2 Executed at Berlin

BERLIN (AP)—Two convicted traitors died today on the guillotine—Johannes Mikolajewski, 48, and his son, Fritz, 22, who were condemned November 30 for revealing German defence secrets to an unidentified foreign secret service agent.

Their deaths brought the total of 1939 executions to 14.

Magna Carta Travels

LONDON (CP-Havas)—An original copy of England's historic Magna Carta has been insured for £100,000 (\$470,000) prior to its shipment to New York for display at the World's Fair, it was announced today. The document will be transported from Lincoln Cathedral to New York in a special casket.

Roumania Signs Nazi Trade Pact; Freedom Kept

Officials Jubilant Political Integrity Not Surrendered

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Three Arrested During Break-in

Shot Fired as B.C.
Police Squad Surprises Men Removing Safe

Three men arrested by provincial police last night as they attempted to remove a safe from the Catholic Rectory at Nanaimo appeared in Nanaimo police court this morning charged with breaking and entering. They were remanded eight days without bail.

The men were: Jack Smith, 24, Mill Street; Thomas Ganderton, 26, Selby Street, and Joseph Bro, alias Brushynski, 26, Nicoll Street. Police said Smith and Brushynski had only lived in Nanaimo about a year while Ganderton was a native son there.

The arrest of the three men rewarded patient efforts of the B.C. Police during recent weeks to apprehend thieves who have for some time been breaking and entering various Nanaimo premises.

Last night at 8:45, as a result of the vigilance maintained, police were apprised of the break-in to the home of Rev. Lewis McLellan on Wallace Street.

Inspector Robert Owens of Victoria, with Sergt. J. Russell, N.C.O. in charge at Nanaimo, and Constables A. H. Gunn, B. Calhoun, H. Dobney and Detective G. "Monty" Armstrong of Victoria, surrounded the premises.

Police reported Smith and Brushynski rushed for the front door, info the arms of Constable Gunn, when presence of the officers became known, while Ganderton rushed for a rear window. When he was partly through the window Inspector Owens fired a shot into the floor and the trio immediately surrendered.

Police said the men were attempting to remove the safe in the rectory when surprised.

British Commons Told About Memel

Military Threat Brought Surrender to Germany, Says Hoare

LONDON (AP) — The British government said Germany had threatened little Lithuania with action "in a military sense" if she refused to surrender Memel to her today.

Sir Samuel Hoare, Home Secretary, made it clear in the House of Commons the British government's information was that if Lithuania had rejected a Nazi ultimatum Germany intended to occupy all of Lithuania, not Memel alone.

Speaking as substitute for Prime Minister Chamberlain, Sir Samuel said:

"The Lithuanian minister for foreign affairs, who was recently in Berlin, received while there demands of the German government for immediate cession of Memel to the Reich, coupled with a threat that in the event of resistance or appeal for support elsewhere, the matter would be dealt with not diplomatically but in a military sense."

CAUSES LAUGHTER

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At this statement opposition members broke into laughter.

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CZECH WARPLANES ESCAPE GERMANS

LONDON (CP) — The Daily Express, Independent, yesterday reported about 1,000 Czech warplanes had landed in Poland, Romania, Yugoslavia and Russia since Chancellor Hitler's troops occupied Czechoslovakia.

The pilots defied orders given by President Edouard Hirsch that all war material must be surrendered to the Germans.

"Most of them," the newspaper said, "left Czechoslovakia on Wednesday just before the German occupation and fought their way over the frontier through a blizzard."

"Inspection" by German air fleet officers of large oil depots on the Prague highway revealed that immediately after the Czech planes had taken off, air holes were bored through concrete walls, letting the fuel ooze into the earth."

NO CONSCRIPTION FOR BRITAIN

Hoare Says Move To Match Germany Decided Against

LONDON (CP) — Sir Samuel Hoare indicated in the Commons yesterday the government had decided against conscription to match Germany's growing military might.

A questioner asked if such a step would be taken "in view of the attitude of Germany in southeastern Europe, which menaces the ultimate security of this country."

"I am not satisfied that in the present circumstances the establishment of a national register would add anything substantial to the steps already taken," said the Home Secretary.

While Sir Samuel was speaking, Mr. Chamberlain received opposition leaders in his private room in the House of Commons. Rt. Hon. Clement Attlee, Labor; Rt. Hon. Arthur Greenwood, Labor, and Sir Archibald Sinclair, Liberal, discussed the international situation with the Pre-mier.

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Vancouver Grain Hearing Uproar

Session Adjourned After Telford and Farris in Dispute

VANCOUVER (CP) — The Board of Grain Commissioners' morning hearing was adjourned in confusion here today, with Mayor Lyde Telford and Wendell Farris, K.C., counsel for the commission, facing each other across the room, and a member of the audience rising from his seat to reprimand Mr. Farris for criticizing the mayor.

Chairman E. B. Ramsay ended the disturbance by announcing adjournment until 2:30. It is expected hearings will end today.

Mr. Farris precipitated the disturbance by complimenting the chairman on the "extreme patience" he had shown in conducting the investigation into malpractice charges which Mayor Telford had leveled against the grain trade.

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Canada Looks for British Sincerity

Support Depends On Genuineness of Efforts, Says Guardian

MANCHESTER, Eng. (CP) — The Manchester Guardian today said the support likely to be given by Canada and other Dominions to British efforts to resist German aggression depends largely on the sincerity with which this country pursues its efforts to organize collective defense.

"The Australian prime minister quickly assured the British government of Australia's wholehearted support," it continued. "Eire keeps quiet, but Prime Minister Eamon de Valera stated the inevitability of her position clearly enough.

"South Africa temporized and although the mass opinion is for a strong British policy the sentiment for neutrality is too powerful to be overcome in a moment.

"In Canada the government has been more definite. Prime Minister Mackenzie King has announced that Canada would likely regard an attack on Great Britain as an act of aggression menacing freedom in all parts of the British Commonwealth, but added that

"If it were a case of dispute on trade or prestige in some far corner of the world that would raise quite a different consideration."

"The declaration is an interesting one, for although it might seem to commit Canada pretty far, it also retains the right of Canada's freedom of decision on which Mr. Mackenzie King always has insisted.

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C.I.O. NOT BREAKING UP, SAYS LEWIS

Will Not Dissolve Itself to Permit Union With A.F.L.

NEW YORK (AP) — John L. Lewis firmly declared himself today against any dissolution of the Congress of Industrial Organizations "as the price for labor unity" in the United States.

"The C.I.O. and its many organizations," he shouted in an address to 350 delegates to a tri-district anthracite conference, "do not propose to dissolve themselves and cut themselves up into a multitude of pieces as the quid pro quo of becoming associated with the American Federation of Labor."

Referring to the renewal of peace parleys with the American Federation of Labor at Washington, D.C., on Friday, Lewis declared:

"If peace comes, well and good. Labor will be the beneficiary and the country will rejoice."

"If peace on an honorable basis fails to come, then the C.I.O. will change its policy."

Insurance Rate On Royal Visit Up

LONDON (CP) — Reflecting the nervousness and uncertainties engendered by the latest international crisis, Lloyds underwriters now quote a premium of 25 guineas per cent for insurance against cancellation of the Royal Visit to Canada.

A two-deck Phoenician ship pictured on the wall of a palace in Nineveh conveys an idea of the sort of ship King Solomon built for sea trade.

Another document filed as evidence by the crown prosecutor dealt with a meeting of the Southern Alberta Confectionery and Tobacco Jobbers' Association in Calgary in November, 1934.

Minutes of the meeting said J. M. O'Brien, sales manager of Imperial Tobacco Sales Company of Canada Limited, explained to members a "new tobacco agreement" in detail.

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The Fuehrer boarded the 10,000-ton pocket battleship Deutschland at Swinemunde.

Units of the powerful German army stood ready to cross the international bridge at Tilsit, East Prussia, to be on hand somewhat ahead of the Chancellor.

Three Lithuanian cabinet ministers arrived by airplane in Berlin at 5:45 p.m. today (8:45 a.m. P.S.T.), to arrange with Foreign Minister Joachim von Ribbentrop the details of Memel's transfer back to Germany and give it legal form.

This is Hitler's second triumphal journey in a week. On March 15 he rode into Prague, to take that ancient capital of Bohemia-Moravia under his protection.

Squads of bombers and pursuit planes also were ready to fly over Memel, the district of 1,095 square miles and 150,000 mostly German inhabitants over which Lithuania had sovereignty since 1923.

Nazis expect Hitler would be received in Memel as a liberator. The Lithuanian decision to cede Memel to Germany was characterized as the "only expedient solution for conciliation" by the official German news agency.

Concern was expressed in Poland, which next to Lithuania, is most vitalily affected by the new German acquisition, both because of her proximity to the territory and because of implications for Danzig, which lies at the head of the Polish corridor separating East Prussia from the rest of Germany.

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BOYS ENTERTAINED BY KIWANIS CLUB

Clubmen Hosts to Young
Men; Rev. A. E.
Whitehouse Gives Message

The Kiwanis Club last night entertained the younger generation at a dinner in Spencer's dining-room when the clubmen played hosts to their sons and present and former members of the club's boys' group.

A stirring message was given the young men by Rev. A. E. Whitehouse, who said the world was waiting to fit boys into places where they were qualified. He warned them against being deluded into the belief the world owed them a living, but said opportunity awaited any boy with character.

The value of the club's work in character building was referred to by Mr. Whitehouse and received his compliments.

Appreciation of the physical training course and holidays at Y.M.C.A. summer camps afforded the boys was voiced by Stephen Crowley, president of the boys' group.

Vivian Shoemaker, boys' work

secretary of the Y.M.C.A., outlined summer camp activities.

The evening's program was arranged by the boys' work committee under T. Percy Waters, who acted as master of ceremonies. Austin L. Curtis, president, thanked Mr. Whitehouse for his remarks and also Frank Paulding, general secretary of the Y.M.C.A., and Mr. Shoemaker, for their co-operation in the boys' work undertaken by the club.

William Harkness, "the Canadian Houdini"; J. J. Matheson, vocalist, and Harry Douglas, who led community singing, contributed to the entertainment.

Assassination Attempt

TOKIO (AP)—A Domei (Japanese news agency) dispatch from Hanoi, French Indo-China, Tuesday said three Chinese gunmen attempted to assassinate Wang Ching-wei, former president of the executive yuan (premier) of the central Chinese government.

Wang escaped, but his secretary and three other persons were wounded. The gunmen fled.

(Wang, leader of a now suppressed peace faction in the Chinese government, fled from Chungking in January.)

Slaying in Shanghai

SHANGHAI (AP)—Terrorists, after nearly a month's inactivity, Tuesday shot and killed Wong Shih-zung, an official of the Japanese-sponsored shipping control bureau, while he was staying in his hotel room in the International Settlement:

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Esquimalt Tax Rate Unchanged

Kept at 41 Mills Over
Objection of Reeve
And 2 Others

A 1939 tax rate unchanged from the 1938 figure of 41 mills on land and 50 per cent of improvements was voted by the Esquimalt Council at a special meeting last night over objections of Reeve Alexander Lockley and two councillors.

The reeve and Councillors R. G. Humphreys and G. R. Guillemaud stood out for a one mill reduction as a means of giving strength to a new demand for Esquimalt property which they said was just beginning.

Councillor Thomas Hadfield, chairman of the council's finance committee, however, said an increase in the rate had only been prevented by a surplus at the beginning of the year.

The council approved all the year's estimates except for details of public works expenditures which will be debated at a meeting next Monday evening.

The budget is based on an 85 per cent collection, the value of the mill shows an increase for the first time in 10 years, with each mill producing \$1,895 this year against \$1,881 in 1938.

The schools' share of the total rate is one mill higher at 14.66 mills. Debt accounts for 2.71 mills, fractionally down from last year's figure of 2.74 mills, and the general rate is 23.63 mills against 24.60 last year.

An 85 per cent collection would give the municipality a tax revenue of \$66,062.70 for the year. The estimates approved last night and those for the schools and the police department, approved at an earlier meeting, totalled \$52,834.35, leaving \$13,228.35 for the public works department.

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SENATE DEBATE ON FILM BOARD

OTTAWA (CP)—The government bill to co-ordinate motion picture activities of government departments through a national film board, already passed by the House of Commons, ran into a full-dress debate in the Senate last night with declarations from the opposition that the bill means an expensive addition to the cost of government.

Senator Arthur Meighen, opposition leader, believed the government should have its motion picture work done by commercial companies instead of appointing another commission and another batch of civil servants. Business in Canada was stagnant because so many commissions had increased taxation, he argued.

Senator Raoul Dandurand, government leader, defended the bill as a progressive measure to keep the government publicity picture service more efficient and economical. The government motion picture bureau was a great education force, he thought.

Senator James Murdoch, Liberal, Ontario, adjourned the debate.

Lord's Day Act

OTTAWA (CP)—A bill to amend the Lord's Day Act to enable the attorneys-general of the provinces to prosecute officers and directors of companies violating the act's regulations concerning work on Sunday was rejected by the Senate last night when the opposition voted down a motion for second reading 21 to 11.

Senator Meighen and Senator C. C. Ballantyne, Conservative, Quebec, pointed out the same measure had been before the chamber for several sessions and Senate amendments had been continually rejected by the House of Commons. They thought it was time the bill should be dealt with decisively.

The note, which was disclosed yesterday, invited comparison between protective measures taken in Singapore, a part of the British Straits Settlements, and

B.C. NATIVE SONS PLAN CONVENTION

To Be Held Here
April 14 and 15 With
70 Delegates Expected

More than 70 delegates are expected at the Grand Post convention of the Native Sons of British Columbia to be held here on April 14 and 15. W. J. V. Church, chief factor, announced today.

At a recent meeting of Post No. 1, Native Sons of British Columbia, plans were made for business sessions and entertainment to the two-day conference.

At 9:30 in the morning of Friday, the opening day, the delegates will register at the Elks' Lodge clubrooms, Douglas Street.

At 7 that evening, the convention banquet will be held for delegates, visitors, members of Victoria posts, Native Sons and Daughters and escorts, to be followed by an invitation dance.

On Saturday morning the session will start at 9:30 again, and at 12:15 the regular service at the Cenotaph. A luncheon will follow the service, starting at 1.

At 3, the same afternoon, there will be a joint installation ceremony for the respective Grand Posts of Native Sons and Daughters.

During the local meeting, Mr. Church welcomed L. H. Hobbs as a new member, being transferred from Post No. 4, New Westminster.

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Day of Rest for Vice-Regal Pair

Governor-General and
Lady Tweedsmuir Enjoy
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Delighted with Victoria's brilliant spring weather, Their Excellencies the Governor-General and Lady Tweedsmuir today enjoyed their first day of complete rest and relaxation in several months.

At Government House, where they are the guests of His Honour Lieutenant-Governor and Mrs. Hamber, they did exactly as they pleased, with no social or official engagements to fill for the first time since Christmas.

They proceeded, after a leisurely breakfast, to enjoy the beauty of Government House grounds. La Tweedsmuir sat in the warm sunshine and admired the view spread below Government House. In walking shoes she poked about the grounds of the house, talking with the gardeners and seeing what is to be done there for the visit of the King and Queen in May.

His Excellency read morning papers to catch up on world news, attended to some business and then walked in the sunshine before luncheon.

It was possible Her Excellency may visit the business portion of the city before the day is over as she had some personal shopping to do.

Luncheon was a quiet affair at Government House today. This evening at dinner His Honor

and Mrs. Hamber have invited a number of Victorians to meet Their Excellencies.

Several hundred persons gathered at the C.P.R. docks to greet the Governor-General and his lady as they arrived yesterday afternoon. As they walked from the gangway to a Government House limousine there was applause. His Excellency, in a brown overcoat, lifted his hat and Lady Tweedsmuir smiled and waved her hand.

They were greeted at the dock by Hon. Capt. V. G. Brodeur, commander-in-chief at the Esquimalt Naval Barracks; Hon. Frank MacPherson, Minister of Public Works, representing the provincial government, and A. M. D. Fairbairn.

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Adolf Hitler Marches On

FACED WITH THE KNOWLEDGE THAT hesitation would mean force, the government of Lithuania this morning presented Reichsfuehrer Hitler with the Memel area of that country—which was German before the Great War—with a notation the “deed of gift” that its people will defend any attempt to seize further territory in their domain. Nobody will be surprised at this latest move by the Berlin oligarchy. The world had been fully prepared for it. Nor will anything be done about it. It will be charged to the “appeasement account” in the continental European ledger.

What did come as a surprise this morning, however, was an announcement from Reykjavik that Germany had demanded the right to build air bases on the island of Iceland as a matter of right under old treaties. Premier Jonasson has replied that his country could not grant concessions to the Reich which it does not accord to other nations. Beyond this simple statement he was evidently not inclined to go; the German cruiser *Emden* is due to visit Reykjavik shortly, and an opportunity will then be taken to discuss the issue.

Iceland is a sovereign state associated with Denmark, under the Act of Union of November 30, 1918. Its present constitution is embodied in a charter by the terms of which the executive power belongs to the King, and is exercised by him through responsible ministers. It should be noted, incidentally, that an advisory Danish-Icelandic committee of eight members has been appointed to review bills of importance to both states, and also to prepare measures for closer co-operation between them. After December 31, 1940, the Danish Parliament and the Icelandic Legislature “may demand” negotiations be opened concerning the revision of the Union Act.

While there is nothing exciting in a recital of this association of two democratic states, the demand made upon Iceland, coupled with Nazi penetration in Denmark—to which we referred in these columns yesterday—may have sinister significance in the light of what has transpired in continental Europe in recent days. Iceland’s coast is 542 miles from the coast of Scotland, a little more than 1,000 miles from London, and about 1,500 miles from the coast of Labrador. And it is less than 1,000 miles from Germany’s refortified Heligoland.

It does not do these days to pooh-pooh Hitlerian dreams of political and territorial conquest. Nor does this mean because some of the Reichsfuehrer’s dreams have been realized in cold fact that a rude awakening is still afar off. But it is more apparent than ever that there is hardly any limit to the extent the man, who continues to add tens of thousands of people and thousands of acres to the nation under his iron control, will go in his attempts to complete the program laid down in “Mein Kampf.”

Herr Hitler’s sudden manifestation of practical interest in the strategic position of Iceland, moreover, would appear to imply that he is not leaving out of his calculators a possible challenge to the British Navy. For unless there is to be a new policy of “appeasement” to prevent war at any price, no government at Westminster dare permit the establishment of German air bases in that part of the North Atlantic. Meanwhile, however, Adolf Hitler Marches On.

That Was Our View

EIGHTEEN DAYS BEFORE THE FOUR-power conference concluded the Czechoslovakian “deal” at Munich last September 30 we began an editorial in this column with the following sentences:

“When The Times (London) last week suggested that Czechoslovakia might cede that part of its territory occupied by the Sudeten Germans to the Reich, to prevent war, it gave Reichsfuehrer Hitler and his Nazi celebrants in Nuremberg more encouragement to make greater demands on the war-born republic than most people realize... It may be expected that the last has not been heard of the great London newspaper’s suggested ‘carving’ of a sovereign state, for the maintenance of whose territorial and political integrity Great Britain is as definitely pledged on moral grounds as if she had subscribed to a treaty guaranteeing armed assistance in case of Czechoslovakia’s deliberate despoliation by another nation.”

That was our opinion on September 12, 1938, and the course of events has shown that we did not overstate the case. And it is especially interesting to note that the same London newspaper—the present government’s journalistic mouthpiece—asked this question the other day: “Who believes that this week’s fantastic essay in the obsolete, this militaristic triumph of reaction, can survive?”

The echo answers: Who knows?

Boy Cooks

IN THESE COLUMNS THE OTHER DAY we recorded a visit of the Parliamentary Secretary of the British Board of Education to a Sussex village school and getting a good square meal, cooked by the young pupils, for which, if the official in question had been asked to pay, the charge would not have ex-

ceeded six cents. We headed the paragraph: “One for Dr. Weir.” It was not intended, of course, as a critical comparison of public educational policy, but merely to emphasize the practical nature of the tuition in out-of-the-way places in Britain. We are now informed—and it is interesting to know—that in the Vancouver Technical School a class of boy cooks is a three-year-old institution pardoning boasting the production of table fare that will stand up against anything anywhere else in quality and cost to institutional consumer. And it is in order to congratulate Vancouver on its wisdom in establishing a technical school, where boys may be trained as cooks for mining and logging camps, for cannerys, trains and boats. Victoria passed up its chance to get a similar addition to its educational system several years ago.

A Confederation Anniversary

PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND WILL BE IN the limelight next summer, when the 75th anniversary of the first meeting of Canadian delegates whose deliberations led to Confederation will be celebrated during the week of July 17-23.

On September 1, 1864, 15 delegates, five from each of the provinces of Nova Scotia, New Brunswick and Prince Edward Island, met in the council chamber in the Parliament Building in Charlottetown to discuss the idea of a Maritime union. The government of Canada (Upper and Lower Canada) heard of this meeting and asked and obtained permission to join in the deliberations. At the smaller scheme of a Maritime union was abandoned for a larger one which called for the confederation of all the provinces of Canada. Following several days’ discussion the meeting adjourned and met again at Quebec on October 10 of the same year. A series of resolutions passed formed the basis of the British North America Act.

The anniversary, as is fitting, will be commemorated officially. Professor D. C. Harvey, Halifax, one of the Maritime’s representatives on the Historic Sites and Monuments Board of Canada, has announced that the board has seven tablets to the Fathers of Confederation in preparation. Five of these will be erected in Charlottetown, one in Summerside, P.E.I., and one in Georgetown, P.E.I. Efforts were made to have the tablets finished in time to be unveiled at the celebration next summer. The festivities will take on the national character they should. Among those who will be invited to attend are the Governor-General, the Prime Minister of Canada and the lieutenant-governors and premiers of the provinces of Canada.

Why Teeth Decay

OF THE TWO HUMAN MISERIES which afflict practically every member of our species—the common cold and the decayed tooth—science knows less than it does about many gorgeously complicated diseases. Most of us have long ago resigned ourselves to taking hot drinks for colds and to showing each other our new inhalys with an imbecile joy. One learns to live with these visitations, as with relatives.

Now come two men of science, the brothers Belding, one a doctor and one a dentist, to say it need not be so, at least about tooth decay. They announce the discovery of the cause of dental caries (\$2 word for a hole in a tooth) and its probable cure. According to the Beldings, a streptococcus which they have isolated causes tooth decay. It feeds upon certain elements in certain cereal foods. If the cereal foods could be treated, by fermentation, to remove these elements, tooth decay might disappear. The brothers point out that tooth decay is an aberration among people who subsist on a meat diet or on fruits and tubers.

We will, of course, wait and see, advising all not to change their diets until there is substantial corroboration of these interesting reports. As veterans of many food fads—we who have avoided red meats to keep blood pressure down, kept away from sweets to save our teeth, kept away from rich foods in order to get roughage, kept away from roughage to avoid stomach ulcers—we are going to take our time. In fact, we are going out to lunch.

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From Montreal Gazette

Premier Pattullo’s government may have financial worries, but it is evident that it believes in doing business in the orthodox way. When it borrows money it makes arrangements so that the loan may be redeemed at maturity, according to pledge. In proof of this good financial conduct it may be pointed out that on the fourth of this month the provincial treasury retired a \$3,000,000 20-year loan of 5½ per cent debentures, paying cash at New York and elsewhere.

Hon. John Hart, the treasurer, announces that the retirement was met from some \$2,200,000 held in sinking funds against the issue, and by a balance of approximately \$700,000 in cash from current revenue in the fiscal year now closing. The money in question was borrowed by British Columbia on March 5, 1919, for general purposes, and, as already stated, is now paid back in full and punctually. The province’s gross debt is lessened by the amount and in the matter of interest, of course, there is also quite a saving. Other maturities totaling about \$3,300,000 will fall due by the middle of next July, and arrangements are being made to pay off the indebtedness then, according to Hon. Mr. Hart. This all adds to the good name of the province, and a good name is very useful in these troubled times. The borrower who meets obligations when they are due may borrow again when need arises and on fair terms. Premier Aberhart, in neighboring Alberta, may be looking over the interprovincial boundary with a bit of envy, if not regret.

Loose Ends

By BRUCE HUTCHISON

HONEST MAN

WHAT I CAN NEVER UNDERSTAND in all the present excitements and alarms, is why everybody is so surprised at the final extinction of Czechoslovakia. Apparently most people are not cynical like the low crowd I consort with. We never had any doubt, here and in Ottawa, that Czechoslovakia was finished off by Munich, that Hitler would walk in whenever he felt the need of exercise.

A good many eminent persons shared this cynical view. On October 5 last Mr. Winston Churchill said this: “At any moment there may be an order from Herr Goebbels to start again his propaganda of calumny and lies. At any moment incidents may be provoked, and now that the fortress-line has been turned, what reserve is there to stop the will of the conquerors?... I think the future of the Czechoslovak state cannot be maintained. You will find in a period of time that might be measured by years or months, that Czechoslovakia will be engulfed in the Nazi regime.”

And Lord Robert Cecil said: “But suppose there is a German guarantee, what is its value? It is not necessary to accuse Germany of perfidy. Not only the Nazi government but all previous German governments from the time of Frederick the Great downwards have made their position perfectly clear. To them an international assurance is no more than a statement of present intention. It has no absolute validity for the world today.”

What one just can’t understand is why Mr. Chamberlain should have believed Hitler’s promise to guarantee Czechoslovakia. The cynics assumed, of course, that Mr. Chamberlain didn’t really believe it, but thought the only thing to do was to let Hitler go still further east after Munich if he wanted to. This theory has been generally accepted in these parts. And when Mr. Chamberlain had practically nothing to say last week in Parliament after the extinction of Czechoslovakia, it seemed to confirm the notion that Hitler had been given a free hand. Then at Birmingham Mr. Chamberlain shattered the entire notion and says he believed Hitler and counted on him making good his promises.

The whole thing is quite amazing. It turns out that Mr. Chamberlain was too honorable an English gentleman. He expected others to be gentlemen, too, and Hitler turns out to be no gent. I never thought he was, with that mustache and sea-weed hair.

AS TO FIGHTING

THIS IS NOT TO RIDICULE Mr. Chamberlain. He can defend Munich on other grounds, of course. But that he should have believed Hitler, that he should have thought Hitler would stop at Sudetenland is beyond the limited comprehension of the cynical people in these parts. Especially as Hitler had written in his book all details of his program to conquer Europe.

I don’t believe most Canadians thought this country should fight to save Czechoslovakia. I don’t believe they want to fight to save Roumania or any nation in Europe. They are interested only when Britain is involved. But they will have no real decision in this question of war and peace.

As soon as Britain is involved this country will be in it, and, as Capt. John Silver used to say, you can lay to that. It doesn’t matter about the constitutional questions, or what the politicians may say about consulting Parliament or anything else. This country’s basic foreign policy at present comes from London and from Washington in about equal parts. The fact that the United States, under Roosevelt, is moving rapidly towards the British foreign policy doubles the drag on ours towards Europe.

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NATURE’S SECRETS

Democritus said: “That the truth of nature lieth hid in certain deep mines and caves.”—Sir Francis Bacon (1560-1626).

Nazi Objectives

ONE OF THE recent Headline Books, the excellent 25-cent pamphlets published by the Foreign Policy Association, is “Shadow Over Europe: The Challenge of Nazi Germany,” by Shepard Stone. It is a concise and extremely clear account of recent German history, including the rise of National Socialism, the annexation of Austria and the Sudetenland and the Hitler program for expansion in Southeastern Europe. Included are 17 graphic maps by Emil Herlin, some drawn after the Munich agreement.

For an average reader who may be hazy about such things as provisions of the Versailles Treaty, the territory Russia surrendered under the Brest-Litovsk Treaty or what countries lie in the shadow of Hitler’s drive to the east, Mr. Stone has provided a workable background for a more intelligent understanding of the most important news in the world today.

IN NAZI SCHOOLROOMS

ALTHOUGH one could quote at length from the tightly-packed little pamphlet, this struck me particularly:

“If you were to go into a German schoolroom you would see on the wall a large colored map showing where the different peoples and races of Europe live. One color, bright red, covering a big section of the map, would catch your eye; from the key you would learn that the red stands for Germans. Looking at the map carefully, you would notice that the red spills over the German frontiers and covers some of the territory of the Reich’s neighbors. In addition here there you would see isolated splashes of red among the other colors. The general impression you’d get would be that the boundaries of present-day Germany have been drawn in such a way as to leave millions of Germans outside their Fatherland.

“That map doesn’t hang on the walls of German schools—and of many other buildings in Germany—for nothing. It carries a message to the German people: young and old.... That map conveys the most dangerous message in Europe today...”

NAZIS GOING COMMUNIST

From B.C. Financial Times Economic considerations are now regarded as the chief cause even though based on anti-Semitic prejudices. It is becoming widely felt that when all Jewish resources have been sequestered, then the Nazi will proceed against the wealth of the Roman Catholic Church and the Lutheran foundations. The fierce opposition to the anti-communist is working itself out in Nazi policy to one of almost identity. The Hitler regime is fast going Communist. It is anti-religious, anti-racial and becoming anticapitalist. The weakening of the principle of private property and private contract cannot proceed much further before German business will fully realize the direction of Nazi action. An internal revolution is in its incipient stages.

CANCER LOSING SOME OF ITS TERRORS

From Ottawa Journal The Health League of Canada tells us of statistics of the London Cancer Clinic quoted recently by Lady Barrett, a noted English doctor. She said that of early cancer cases treated five years ago 83 per cent are alive and well; today, of patients treated later when the disease was more advanced 65 per cent still survive; of all the patients treated 35 per cent were alive and well at the end of five years. The moral is drawn that if patients can be induced to seek treatment when the disease is in its early stages there has been no increase in the personnel of the force, and I do not hesitate to say that the police work has increased 200% in this period.

Surely it is the duty of those elected by the people to seek the people’s best interest in all things. In this day and age the responsibilities of a police force for the proper protection of the properties, peace and even lives of the residents are great ones. While it is true that any shortcomings or faults in a police department are always magnified and quickly brought to the attention of the public, it is also true that a police department rarely receives commendation for duties honestly and fearlessly carried out.

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East Saanich Road.

PARLIAMENTARY MANNERS

J. B. McGeachy, From London, in Winnipeg Free Press

Lady Astor, at a recent suffragettes’ meeting to celebrate the 25th anniversary of the vote, spoke about the improvement in House of Commons manners since women got into it. When she first arrived in the House, she said, members used to howl like hyenas when displeased, and they weren’t very civil to her when she wanted to talk.

As to that I have no knowledge, but from recent observation I would say the House is still no Chesterfieldian club. The members may have stopped howling like hyenas but now they bay like mastiffs. As for their attitude to Lady Astor, if she calls that good manners she must have been brought up in a barn.

They put their feet on tables in her company and they hoot when she tries to speak. She sits directly behind Winston Churchill and Winston, urbane though he may be, is one member who will stand no nonsense from her.

When she interrupted him the other day, he turned and replied directly with a remark which did not reach the galleries but must have been a beauty because the same lady was heard no more.

Others besides Lady Astor say that the House is tamer than it used to be—they say so with regret—but one used to the politeness of Canadian assemblies is likely to find the mother of parliament uproarious and to ask with Stephen Leacock: “What’s come over mother?” The answer is that the members are consciously trying to uphold the English tradition of tough behavior, now completely dead in the field of foreign policy.

This is illustrated in the way they treat bores, timid members and others lacking the parliamentary flair. They either laugh off-walk-out with ruthless speed when these performers get going. Even holding a distinguished place doesn’t save a member from this sort of indignity.

SAANICH’S SWEATED POLICE

To the Editor.—According to recent reports the members of the Saanich Police force are seeking a “raise.” This is untrue, as the men are merely asking for the restoration of a wage cut they received a number of years ago. All other police departments in and around Victoria have long since been restored to a standard wage. This force is the lowest paid in the province.

It seems grossly unfair and unjust that these men should be on duty 144 hours every week, when almost every other line of endeavor is subject to minimum-hours-and-wages regulations. It is not uncommon for members of this force to be on the road or engaged in investigations for 15 consecutive hours a day, then report for duty at the municipal hall at 9 a.m. the following morning. Each of these men are off duty 24 hours per week. The remaining 144 hours they must always be within reach of the public. This means that these men must be stationed at their homes or the municipal hall at all times. It is also a fact that, despite the almost phenomenal growth of Saanich in the past nine years, there has been no increase in the personnel of the force, and I do not hesitate to say that the police work has increased 200% in this period.

Surely it is the duty of those elected by the people to seek the people’s best interest in all things. In this day and age the responsibilities

Radio Programs

Tonight

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Ray Shield Revue—KJR, KGO
For You—KNX, KVI
At Sundown—CBR
Seidberg Concert—KOL
Music Masters—KOMO at 5.15.
Sonic Ticker's Orchestra—KOL at 5.15.
Eric Tucker's Orchestra—KOL at 5.15.

5.30

Serge Labbe—KOMO, KPO
U.S. Travel Bureau—CBR
Judy and the Jesters—KIRO, KVI
Jack Choy—CBR
John Tracy—KOL
World War Parade—KGO at 5.45.
Eddie Albright—KNX at 5.45.
Orphan Annie—KOL at 5.45.

6

Ma Mart—KPO
Horse and Buggy Days—KGO
The Prairie—KIRO, KVI
School and Education—CBR
Jack Armstrong—KOL
Grisa and Survival—KOL at 6.15.

6.30

Who's In Town Tonight—KPO
Wings for the Martins—KJR, KGO
Toronto Symphony—CBR
Adventures—KOL at 6.45.

7

Kay Kyer's College—KOMO, KPO
Ransom Sherman Presents—KJR, KVI
99 Men and a Girl—KIRO, KNX, KVI
News Dramas—KOL

7.30

Interest in Democracy—KJR, KGO
Alcatraz—KOL, KNO, KVI
Lover Huntress Orchestra—CBR
Lone Ranger—KOL

8

Amos 'n Andy—KOMO, KPO
Dinner Bell—KJR, KGO
World on Parade—KGO
Harry James' Orchestra—KNX, KVI
News—CBR
John C. Hill—KOL
Edwin C. Hill—KPO at 8.15.
KJO Jubilee Revue—KOO at 8.15.
Lynn and Abner—KNO, KVI at 8.15.
Alpine Explorers—CBR at 8.15.

8.30

Tommy Dorsey's Orchestra—KOMO, KPO
Paul Whiteman's Show—KIRO, KNX, KVI
The White Cliffs of Dover—CBR
Manufacturers—KOL

9

Fred Allen—Town Hall—KOMO, KPO
Just Plain—KJR, KGO
Gangbusters—KIRO, KNX, KVI
Echoes of the Masters—CBR
Newspaper of the Air—KOL
Freddy Martin's Orchestra—KOL at 9.15.

9.30

Al Kavellin's Orchestra—KJR, KGO
Sophie Tucker—KIRO, KNX, KVI
Joe Reichman's Orchestra—KOL
John B. Hughes—news—KIRO, KNX at 9.45.
News—CBR at 9.45.

10

News Flash—KOMO, KPO
Harry Owen's Orchestra—KGO
Tour of Hotel Vancouver—CBR
Dale Evans—KJR, KVI
Gentlemen Preferred—KOMO, KPO at 10.15.
Nightcap Yarns—KIRO, KNX, KVI at 10.15.

10.30

Carlos Molina's Orchestra—KOMO, KPO
Emil Baffo's Orchestra—KJR, KGO
Dick Barrie's Orchestra—KNX, KVI
Organ Recital—CBR
Skating Kings Orchestra—KOL

11

Nottingham's Orchestra—KOMO, KPO
Paul Carson—KJR
World on Parade—KGO
George Olsen's Orchestra—KNX, KVI
Jim Walsh's Orchestra—KOL

11.30

Archie Loveland's Orchestra—KOMO, KPO
Archie Bleier's Orchestra—KNX, KVI
Phil Harris' Orchestra—KOL

Tomorrow

7.30

Financial Service—KJR
News—KNN, KVI, KOL
Rise and Shine—CBR
Morning Devotion—CBR at 7.45

8

Ted White—KPO
Visions Ensemble—KJR
It's a New Day—KNN, KVI
News—CBR
Sons of the Pioneers—KOL
Sam Morel—KPO

Captain—KJR, KNO, KNX, KVI at 8.15.
Musical Minutes—CBR at 8.07.
Haven of Rest—KOL at 8.15.

8.30

Martha Meade—KOMO, KPO
Paul Page—KJR, KGO
Originals—KJR at 8.45.
World on Parade—KGO at 8.45.
Glooms—KOL at 8.45.

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Carters of Elm Street—KPO
Southerners—KGO
Women's Committee—LA Philharmonic—
KNX
Sweet Hour of Prayer—CBR
The O' Jays—KOMO, KPO at 9.15.
Bobby Axton—KGO at 9.15.
Nancy James—KIRO, KNX, KVI at 9.15.
D'Arcy March—CBR at 9.15.

9.30

Time for Thought—KOMO
Farm and Home—KJR, KGO
Helen Trent—KIRO, KNX, KVI
Richard Strines—CBR
Betty Walker's Kitchen—KOMO, KPO at 9.45.
Our Gal Sunday—KIRO, KNX, KVI, 9.45

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John's Other Wife—KOMO, KPO
Goldberg—KIRO, KNX, KVI
Happy Gang—CBR, KOL
Just Plain—KOMO, KPO at 10.15.
Artificial Flowers—KJR, KGO at 10.15.
Life Is Beautiful—KIRO, KNX, KVI 10.15.

10.30

Dangerous Roads—KOMO, KPO
Peebles Takes Charge—KGO
Road of Life—CBR
Dr. Karp—KJR, KGO at 10.45.
Baker's Orchestra—KJR, KGO, CBR at 10.45.
Mary Lee Taylor—KNO, KVI at 10.45.
Red River—Dave—KOL at 10.45.

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Betty and Bob—KOMO, KPO
School Broadcast—KJR, KGO
School of the Air—KOL, CBR
Grimm's Daughter—KOMO, KPO at 11.15.
Aunt Jenny—KIRO, KNN, KVI at 11.15.
London Calling—CBR at 11.15.

11.30

Valiant Lady—KOMO, KPO
American School—KJR, KGO, KVI
Eddie Albright—KOL
Hymns—KOMO, KPO at 11.45.
Wara Selections—KJR, KGO at 11.45.
Monica Meechy—KOL at 11.45.

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Mary Martin—KOMO, KPO
U.S. Dept. of Agriculture—KJR, KGO

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7.00—Ransom Sherman—KJR, KGO
7.00—99 Men and a Girl—KIRO, KNX, KVI
8.30—Tommy Dorsey—KOMO, KPO
8.30—Paul Whiteman—KIRO, KNX, KVI
9.00—Fred Allen—KOMO, KPO
9.00—Gangbusters—KNX, KVI, KKO
10.30—KNX
10.45—KGO
11.00—KOL
11.45—KJR
12.00—KNX

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6.14—KJR
6.30—KOL
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9.45—KIRO, KNX, CBR
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The peak of newborn baby deaths occurs between 3 and 6 in the afternoon, Dr. J. Yerushalmi of the division of Maternity, Infancy and Child Hygiene, New York State Department of Health, reported to the Society of Research in Child Development.

Two possible explanations for this "dangerous hour" were considered by Dr. Yerushalmi. It may be that the birth processes

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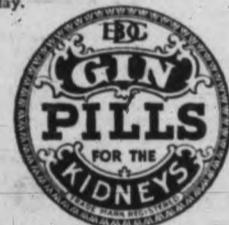
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Weddings

CALLISTER-LAIRD

In the presence of relatives and a few intimate friends, the marriage was quietly solemnized this afternoon at 2:30 at the First United Church by Rev. Hugh McLeod of Mary Ann Ruth, fourth daughter of Mrs. M. Laird, of 3020 Jutland Road, and the late Mr. A. Laird of Victoria, and Mr. Maxwell Conley Callister of Duncan, son of the late Mr. and Mrs. D. Callister of Victoria.

Mr. Alec Laird gave his sister in marriage. She was attractively gowned in French blue georgette fashioned with a long full skirt and a shirred bodice, with a three-quarter-length-sleeved jacquette. She wore a small Allah turban of the georgette, with a wimple, and carried a shower bouquet of Talisman rosebuds, white carnations and freesias.

Resort to operations and the use of forceps actually does follow a curve very similar to that of the infant deaths, Dr. Yerushalmi found. Again the peak is between 3 and 6 p.m. Nevertheless, this correlation does not necessarily indicate any cause-effect relation between them, he said.

The bride's only attendant was her sister, Miss Lillian Laird of Nanaimo, whose frock was of orchid pink georgette, with a shirred bolero, while her floral hat had a shoulder veil of silk net to match her frock. Her bouquet was composed of pink carnations. The bridegroom was supported by Mr. Harry Marron.

Plum blossom and daffodils had been arranged in the church by friends of the bride for the ceremony. Mr. G. H. Peaker, the organist, rendered the wedding music and accompanied Miss Genevieve Knapp, who sang "I Promise You."

A small reception was afterwards held at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. Laird, who wore a dress of navy blue lace, with hat to match, adorned with a floral crown in mauve, purple and blue and who was assisted in welcoming the guests by the bridegroom's sister, Mrs. A. J. Maynard, whose frock was of blue-grey lace and her hat a black straw. They each wore corsage bouquets of pink rosebuds.

An executive meeting was held to form plans for the mother goose carnival to be held on Wednesday, April 26, in aid of the cure fund of the church.

On Monday evening, March 27, Mr. Charles French of the Hudson's Bay Co., will give a talk on the company's work in the Arctic.

Faithful Unto Death

JOHANNESBURG—When a charge a 20-month-old boy locked himself in the bathroom of an apartment house, a native nurse girl, Violet Gadebe, 21, attempting to reach him through an outside window, fell 50 feet to the ground, suffering fatal injuries.

The bride and bridegroom left on the afternoon boat for Seattle on their way to Portland, and on their return will make their home at Duncan. For traveling the bride wore a tailored two-piece suit of sea-green pin-striped cloth, a smart hat to match, and a mink-marmot fur coat.

Miss Carmely of Nanaimo came down for the wedding and is staying with Mrs. Laird, Jutland Road.

BUTCHER—THOMAS

A marriage of interest to many on the mainland and on Vancouver Island took place in Nanaimo on Sunday, March 19, at St. Paul's Church, when Rev. Canon H. V. Hitchcock united in matrimony Dorine Pearl Thomas, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dan E. Luce of Port Alberni, and Mr. Urridge Ernest Butcher of Nanaimo, son of Mrs. A. Butcher of Linden Avenue, Victoria, and Mr. H. U. Butcher of Vancouver.

The bride, gowned in a rose-beige frock with cranberry-colored straw hat and a corsage of rosebuds, was attended by her cousin, Miss Evelyn Drummond, of Vancouver. The bridegroom was supported by Mr. Walter Thomas of Port Alberni, brother of the bride.

At the conclusion of the ceremony a reception was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Doherty, West Street, uncle and aunt of the bride.

Mr. and Mrs. Butcher left to spend a honeymoon in the Sound cities and will shortly make their home in Nanaimo. A number of guests from Vancouver, Victoria and Port Alberni were in Nanaimo for the ceremony.

ST. ANDREW'S Y.P.S.

St. Andrew's Presbyterian Y.P.S. met on Monday evening. Rev. J. L. W. McLean opened the meeting. Allan Anderson led the devotional, assisted by Gordon Winters and Marjorie Kennedy. Hazel Kennedy sang "In the Garden." A short reading on "God in Nature" was given by Allan Anderson. After a brief business period Mr. Farris of the Department of Trade and Industry, assisted by Mr. Macdonald, showed five movie shorts.

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Changing Status of Chinese Women Reviewed

Mrs. Edna Booth of Shanghai Speaks To Soroptimist Club

A comparison of the Chinese woman of the old regime with her more modern sister was drawn by Mrs. Edna Booth, a former Victorian who is revisiting here after many years' residence in Shanghai, at the monthly dinner meeting of the Soroptimist Club held last night at the Zetland tea-rooms.

In speaking of the women of China, Mrs. Booth noted that as recently as 1905, no provision was made in China for the education of women. But within the space of 15 years after that more than 400,000 girls were attending Chinese schools, and a few years later several Chinese women were occupying chairs in universities. Today there were in China four colleges for women only, viz., the Gin Ling College at Nanking, Hwa Nan Methodist College at Foochow, the Women's Christian Medical College at West Gate, Shanghai, and the Government Normal College at Tientsin.

In comparing the changed status of Chinese women, Mrs. Booth quoted freely from a number of well-known Chinese women's biographies which are held in high regard, including "Nu Chieh" ("Precepts for Women"), which has been translated by Florence Ascough and embodied in her "Chinese Women, Yesterday and Today."

The social customs of a bygone age were also reviewed by the speaker to show that in ancient China neither the man nor woman was inferior, neither was superior; they were equal, but with strict differentiation of function, both important. The girls of the better class in that era were not uneducated, learning music, painting, poetry and literature, but most emphasis was laid on the domestic arts.

Under Chiang Kai-shek's régime, the woman's position had shown marked improvement. Under the Manchus the sexes after 10 years of age were strictly separated until such time as they were betrothed and married, today they mingled freely at dances, in playing games and on many other business and social occasions.

Cocubinage, once the custom, was now illegal. The Chinese

bride, once completely under the dominance of her mother-in-law, today had a much more independent position. Divorce, too, is quite common today and easily obtained, she observed.

Miss M. Holmes, the president, introduced the speaker, and Miss Dora Atkins expressed the thanks of the members. Two guests present at the dinner were Miss Belle Leeming, England, and Miss Zella Collins, Vancouver.

Lady Tweedsmuir to Institutes' Guest

Under the auspices of the South Vancouver Island District Board of Women's Institutes, a tea and display of handicrafts was held at which Her Excellency Lady Tweedsmuir and Mrs. E. W. Hamber will be the guests of honour. This will be on Tuesday, March 28, in the Old Craigflower schoolhouse.

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PURE HONEY	23¢
2-lb. tin	25¢

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ORANGES—Large Size	Per doz. 19¢	3 doz. 55¢
SUNKIST GRAPEFRUIT	10 per doz.	25¢
SUNKIST LEMONS	12 per doz.	
No. 1 WASHED CARROTS	5 lbs.	10¢
FIRM HEAD LETTUCE	2 for	13¢

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QUAKER OATS	13¢ lge. pkt.

KELLOGG'S CORN FLAKES, pt.	7½¢
CUT GREEN BEANS	10¢
10¢	
PEAS, tin	12¢
WHITE CORN, tin	12¢
SLICED PINEAPPLE, tin	12¢
TOMATO SOUP, tin	12¢
VEGETABLE SOUP, tin	12¢
TUNA, 14-oz. tin	12¢

BUTTER First-grade	3 lbs. 82¢
CHEESE MILD, lb.	18¢
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Grade A Large, doz.	28¢
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EGGS Grade A, Fatted, doz.	24¢

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St. Joseph's Nurse Given Air Job

Miss Margaret Beeber Chosen By TCA as Stewardess

Miss Margaret Jean Beeber, R.N., of Bassano, Alta., a graduate of the 1938 nursing class of St. Joseph's Hospital, was among the 16 girls chosen for an air stewardess job under the Trans-Canada Airways recently. Many Victoria friends will be interested in the following item from a paper published at Bassano, Alta., recently:

"Margaret, Jean Beeber, R.N., eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. Beeber, left Calgary Tuesday evening for Winnipeg, where she will receive a two weeks' training course prior to entering the Trans-Canada Airways, as an air stewardess.

"Miss Beeber was born in Bassano in August 1917, and has gained a host of friends in town and surrounding district in the years she resided here. Receiving her public and high school education in Bassano she entered training in St. Joseph's Hospital at Victoria, B.C., graduating in the spring of 1938.

"A lover of sports Miss Beeber took an active part in tennis, golf, swimming and skating, as well as being an ardent fan at all hockey and baseball games. At school she excelled in all her studies and was always among those chosen to act at any of the school functions.

"The sincere good wishes of the community will follow her in her new adventure and the best of luck and 'Happy Landings' is extended by all who knew her."

Better Than Game

BIRMINGHAM, Eng.—Quoting the proverb, "who sups with the Devil must have a long spoon," Viscountess Gladstone, president of the Women's Liberal Association, suggested here Premier Neville Chamberlain should take that culinary utensil with him in place of his celebrated umbrella.

The Sherwood Auxiliary W.M.S. met in Belmont United Church on Thursday. The president, Mrs. John Hall, presided. Mrs. W. J. Sargent led the devotional period. Reports from the various departments were received and progress noted. Miss Isabel MacIntosh, a retired missionary from China, now a resident of this city, gave an address illustrated by graphic pictures of conditions among the Chinese people. A social hour followed. Mrs. F. Simm and Mrs. Alma Vey were joint hostesses.



Found Husband By Trail of Soap

Spanish Refugees In France Clamor For Cleanliness

PERPIGNAN (CP)—French nurses, student doctors and others from Paris have been giving of their vacation time to help the refugees pouring over the border from Spain into this French frontier district, as the civil war closes in Spain.

One woman visitor to a concentration camp carried an enormous basket filled with chunks

"Soap," was the unanimous reply.

"When 100,000 half-famished and exhausted men forget their hunger and cold to ask first for 'soap,' you have an idea of the misery these men have suffered merely from dirt and vermin since they started their retreat 60 days ago.

"So I take as much as I can and they all promise to inquire among themselves for my husband, but it takes time among 180,000 men, and more arriving every minute."

When she arrived at a barbed-wire enclosure at Arles-sur-Tech she gave a shout. There her husband stood waiting. A piece of soap had found him.

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Barbara Mead was one of only four American women presented to King George and Queen Mary at the first royal court of the season in Buckingham Palace under U.S. Ambassador Kennedy's restrictive ruling. She is the daughter of Frank Mead, of Old Greenwich, Conn., now in business in London.

Clubwomen's News

Esquimalt W.I. will hold the fortnightly 500 party Thursday evening in St. Paul's Parish Hall at 8:15, with prizes and refreshments.

The weekly meeting of the Victoria Citadel Home League will be held tomorrow afternoon at the Oriental Home, 732 Cormorant Street, at the invitation of Miss Laurie, the superintendent. Last Thursday evening a large crowd gathered at the citadel for the Shamrock concert and tea sponsored by the home league. Adjutant Watt presided and Very Rev. S. H. Elliott, Dean of Columbia, gave an address that was much appreciated. Messrs. Dunn contributed solos and a duet and the Elizabethan Singers a group of songs that gave great pleasure.

Mrs. F. R. Moore gave an interesting address on "The Untouchables" of India to the W.M.S. of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church at their monthly meeting Monday afternoon. Miss McLennan, with the president, Jean Wilson, in the chair. Mrs. A. Mortimer and Mrs. Fallows led the devotional period. Mrs. F. Allott, president, was in the chair, and arrangements were made for the sending of delegates to the annual provincial meeting to be held in Vancouver early in April. Mrs. T. R. Douglas and Mrs. A. M. Boyd served tea at the social hour, which followed the meeting.

The Gleaners' Mission Circle held their monthly meeting in the form of a birthday gathering at the home of the honorary president, Mrs. McLennan, with the president, Jean Wilson, in the chair. Miss Marion Mitchell rendered two vocal solos, and the worship service was led by Jean Munro and Helen Peaker. The president welcomed the mothers and guests. Dr. Henrietta Anderson, Regina; Miss Sheila Neil, Winnipeg; Second row: Miss Patricia McNamara, Toronto; Miss Geraldine Bruneau, Montreal; Miss Margaret Beeber, former Victorian. Top row: Miss Marcella Levac, Montreal, and Miss Constance Halbeck, Lethbridge.

which will be in charge of Mrs. Culium's group.

Modern Etiquette

By ROBERTA LEE

1. Is it good manners to ask an acquaintance to guess your age?
2. Should you ask personal questions of acquaintances?

3. Should you ask a good friend how old he is?
4. Should you ask a friend what his salary is?

5. Must you answer questions that you would rather not?

What would you do if—

You have a friend that you know has been married—but she never has told you whether her husband is dead or divorced—

(a) Ask her?

(b) Hint for her to tell you?

(c) Decide that if she wanted you to know she would have told you?

Answers

1. No.
2. No.
3. No.
4. No.
5. No.

Best "What Would You Do" solution—(c).

AUCKLAND—By the death of

the century-old Maori chieftain, Mihi-Ki-Turangi-Matawha, Maoris along the west coast of the north island of New Zealand have lost the last direct link connecting them with the colorful days of the noted warrior Chief Te Rauparaha. She had lived at Kakariki Pa for more than 70 years.

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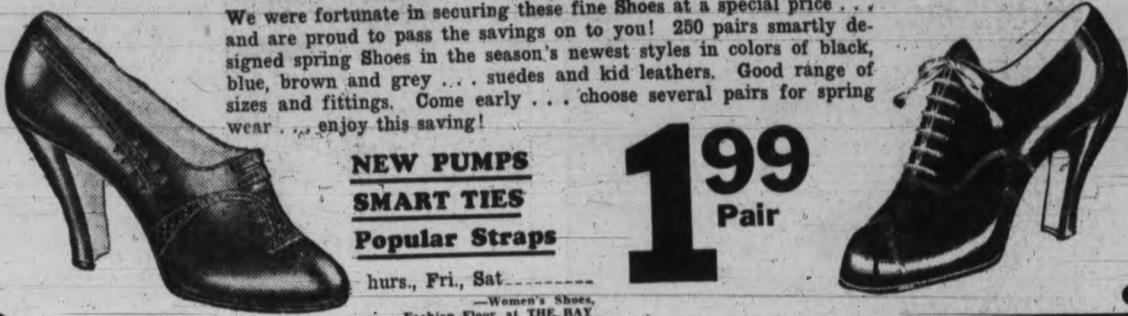
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—Women's Wear, Fashion Floor at THE BAY

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—Children's Wear, Fashion Floor at THE BAY

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Distinctive styles in Sanshee, Ray-Kot, Kay-Dot, Seabreeze and Leatherette with novelty trimmings. In colors of Japan, terra cotta, cyclamen, pink, pale pink, heaven blue, sea blue, wine red, Araby green, slate black, white, navy, brown, beige and silverstone.

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Outsider Wins Lincolnshire

Sports Mirror

By PETE SALLAWAY

GATHERING UP loose ends: Baseball's crying need right now is for more top-flight catchers, claims De' Baker, manager of the Detroit Tigers, who says that with the exception of Bill Dickey of the New York Yanks there isn't a single great backstop in the majors now that Gabby Hartnett has grown too fat and too old... Reason is too few youngsters aspire to don the pads... which is their big mistake... Behind the bat lie the greatest opportunities.

Babe Ruth says infielders played so far back for him that he could have batted .600 by bunting a lot... But he knew he wasn't getting that \$80,000 a year to bunt, so he took the full swing... Rick Ferrell, Washington catcher, went out and bought himself a Spanish-English dictionary so he can converse with pitchers Rene Montague and Roberto Ortiz... who can't even say "My arm hurts" in English.

New York's World's Fair authorities have offered Joe Louis use of the fair grounds as a training site for his battle with Tony Galento this June... but it isn't likely John Roxborough will accept the invitation. The International League this season will use special dirt brought from Birmingham, Ala., to remove the shine from balls prior to a game... This dirt reportedly leaves the ball tinted a light brown instead of the unsightly black used by dirt in most parks... Can baseball be going esthetic?

Johnny Wilson, Southern California high jumper, wears both shoes up to six feet three... when he gets over that height he takes off his right shoe... Those Trojans win and they win differently. Adrian Quist, the Australian Davis Cup star, is said to have corrected that greatly controversial foot-fault style... William Hayes, an extremely wealthy gent from Bennington, N.H., who always wanted to break into baseball in some way, gets his wish this season... he'll make his debut as an umpire in the Piedmont League.

The rascals have another brainstorm... Out in Montana the other night they introduced bathtub matches... First rascall to dunk the other in a tub of cold water with a cake of ice floating in it, won... Jimmy Hull, Ohio State's Big Ten basketball scoring champion, went through a torrid conference season with only nine personal fouls called on him... which is believed to be a record of some sort.

RUGBY TOUR IS DEFINITELY ON

California here we come.

That's the chant in British Columbia rugby circles today, for it was learned by Fred Cabeldu, president of the B.C.R.U., yesterday that the tour of the B.C. representative fifteen to the San Francisco Exposition in April is definitely on. Word to this effect was received by the provincial chief from the California Rugby Union.

The schedule will be the same as originally set, April 12, 15, 19 and 22.

The team is comprised of 10 Victoria ruggers and an equal number from Vancouver. It is understood two changes have been made in the mainland group.

A workout of the Victoria players will be called shortly by Jack Bain, Vancouver, coach of the invading machine, who is in the city at the present time.

Baseball Entries To Close Sunday

Entries in the Victoria Baseball Association will close Sunday morning at meeting to be held in the Colonist board room at 10.30. It is expected that Eagles, Victoria, Pitzer and Nix and Navy, last season's four clubs, will be ready to open the season in the first week in May. A second division loop is being planned for this season and entries in this division must be registered at Sunday's meeting. Officials of the association announced yesterday that the Zulu Giants, colored comedy nine, would be in Victoria to perform on May 30, 31 and June 1.

SOCCE MEETING

A meeting of the Merchants' Football League will be held this evening at 8 in the Y.M.C.A.

Squadron Castle, 40 to 1 Shot, Captures Famous English Handicap

LINCOLN, Eng. (CP)—S. H. Oxenham's Squadron Castle, a six-year-old horse by Mr. Jinks out of Laverock, today won the Lincolnshire Handicap, first big event of the 1939 flat-racing season.

Starting at 40 to 1, the grey son of Mr. Jinks finished the mile 1½ lengths in front of Mrs. G. A. Monkhouse's Halcyon Gift, who started at 100 to 1, with Sir Abe Bailey's Dary Tolly, a 25 to 1 chance, in third place a neck behind Halcyon Gift.

A field of 38 started in the big handicap.

GOOD START

The going was fairly good and the field got away quickly to a fine start. Over the first furlong the field was crowded on the stand side of the course and there was a good deal of scrumming.

Domaha and Mickie Bulger were leading after 1½ furlongs. At the half-mile Domaha was out in front, leading Mickie Bulger and Temeraria, with Halcyon Gift, Aldine, Galsonia and Squadron Castle, who was going exceptionally well and making for the rail, in pursuit.

Carpet Bowling

Results of matches in the Victoria Carpet Bowling League tournament follow:

DOUBLES

F. Holmes and G. Baird 9, W. Stockley and J. Baron 19. C. Nicholls and L. Dicks 17, J. Green and J. Hayward 15. W. Hislop and E. Barnes 14, H. Clear and J. Berwick 15.

Draw for Friday

TRIPLES—8

R. W. Wilson, R. Pugh and P. Waterhouse vs. W. Roger, G. Knight and W. Stockley.

J. Baron, B. Jacklin and J. Smith vs. G. Forster, A. Fraboni and W. Griffin.

WRESTLING

Newark, N.J.—Emil Dusek, 218, Omaha, Neb., defeated "the Golden Terror." (The Terror refused to answer the bell for second fall.)

Minneapolis—Ali Baba, 223, Turkey, tossed Rudy Strongberg, 228, Germany, 419.

Indianapolis—"Lord" Lansdowne, 178, Barrington, England, defeated Buck Weaver, 180.

Terre Haute, Ind., two of three falls.

DOCTORS SILENT ON MR. GALENTO

NEW YORK (CP)—Tony Galento, rotund New Jersey heavyweight, yesterday underwent a physical examination by five doctors at the request of the New York boxing commission to determine if he was in shape to meet champion Joe Louis June 28.

Tony said the docs found him "100 per cent okay."

The medics report will be made public Friday by the commission.

Bobby Riggs Winner

HAMILTON, Bermuda (AP)—Bobby Riggs won the Bermuda men's singles championship, as expected, although he had to play five hard sets to beat Elwood Cooke, but the women's singles final produced a real upset when Helen Bernhard defeated Pauline Betz.

Miss Betz, the Los Angeles girl who started her first tour of the major tournaments by winning the United States indoor title, was a popular favorite. Her New York rival had all the better of the maten, however, winning 6-3, 7-5.

Riggs conquered his Portland, Ore., rival, 6-3, 1-6, 6-2, 7-5 after brilliant display of tennis by both players.

Frankie Pytlak Signs

NEW ORLEANS (AP)—Catcher Frankie Pytlak, who walked out of the Cleveland Indians' training camp yesterday, signed a contract last night and promised to return to work to-day.

Pytlak, who started his career with the Indians in 1936, was traded to the Browns in 1937 and to the White Sox in 1938.

He signed with the Indians in 1939 and was traded to the Browns in 1940.

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TOURING HOCKEY TEAM IS CHOSEN

G. C. Grant and E. M. Williams, Victoria, on Side To Play in California

VANCOUVER (CP) — A well-balanced team from the Mainland Grass Hockey League, augmented by versatile Victoria stars, has been tentatively chosen to make a bid for international grass hockey honors in a tournament at the San Francisco Golden Gate Exposition against a picked California team March 26.

The tentative lineup, embracing 11 players, includes: G. C. Grant, Victoria, fullback; E. H. Williams, Victoria, centre half; W. Melhuish, Vancouver, half; Dick Williams, North Shore, defence; M. Crichton, Nomada, half; W. Barr, Vancouver, forward; Teddy Smythe, North Shore, forward; D. Ames, North Shore, defence; P. George, Nomads, forward; Underwood, Vancouver, goal; Pudney, Vancouver, forward.

Grant of Victoria, who will captain the British Columbia team, is an oldtime rugby player and is also well known as a cricketer.

TENNIS MEETING

The annual general meeting of the Langford Tennis Club will be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest L. Le Quesne tomorrow night at 8:15. Plans for the coming season will be made and officers elected.

British Soccer League Standings

ENGLISH LEAGUE

Division	Goals	P.W.L.D.F.A.P.
Faction	33	18 7 12 26 44
Wolverhampton Wand	33	18 7 12 26 44
Derby County	34	17 10 7 33 44 41
Middlesbrough	34	15 11 7 31 44 48
Aston Villa	34	16 12 7 30 50 37
Charlton Athletic	34	16 12 7 30 50 37
Arsenal	33	11 11 9 42 23 58
Bolton Wanderers	33	11 11 9 52 58 38
Huddersfield Town	33	12 12 7 49 57 33
Liverpool	34	11 11 12 52 58 33
Portsmouth	33	12 12 7 52 58 33
Sunderland	33	12 12 7 52 58 33
Leeds United	32	12 7 5 50 57 31
Brentford	32	12 7 5 50 57 31
Manchester United	32	12 7 5 50 57 31
Blackpool	32	8 13 12 47 57 28
Plymouth Argyle	32	8 13 12 47 57 28
Sheffield United	32	8 13 12 47 57 28
Huddersfield Town	32	8 13 12 47 57 28
Leicester City	32	8 16 10 7 53 51 26
Birmingham	33	9 19 9 52 57 23
Second Division		
Blackburn Rovers	34	10 14 7 51 50 45
Newcastle United	34	11 11 7 54 53 41
Sheffield Wednesday	31	17 8 7 50 47 39
Sheffield United	31	17 8 7 50 47 39
Coventry City	31	10 17 7 50 47 39
West Bromwich Albion	32	16 11 7 51 51 38
Luton Town	33	17 12 7 54 52 38
Fulham	33	17 12 7 54 52 38
Chesterfield	32	16 10 7 51 51 37
Tottenham Hotspur	34	10 17 8 53 48 37
Burnley	33	13 14 7 56 57 36
Millwall	33	11 11 11 56 57 33
West Ham United	32	13 13 7 56 57 33
Plymouth Argyle	32	10 14 10 53 50 30
Bradford	34	10 14 10 53 50 30
Southampton	32	10 14 10 53 50 30
Swansea Town	32	10 14 10 53 50 30
Norwich City	32	10 14 10 53 50 30
Notts Forest	32	8 10 9 52 57 21
Tranmere Rovers	34	24 25 10 53 50 30
Third Division—Northern Section		
Barnsley	34	24 5 5 78 28 55
Darlington	33	15 8 6 50 40 42
Southport	31	18 5 6 50 40 42
Oldham Athletic	33	17 12 7 48 49 37
Crewe Alex	33	17 12 7 48 49 37
Hull City	33	16 11 7 48 49 37
Rotherham United	34	10 17 7 51 50 37
Stockport C	31	13 11 7 52 57 33
Scunthorpe Town	34	10 13 7 55 56 31
New Brighton	34	10 14 10 51 57 32
Wrexham	34	13 13 7 56 57 32
Lincoln City	34	11 13 7 56 57 32
Rochdale	32	11 13 7 56 57 32
Gateshead	32	10 13 7 56 57 32
Carlisle United	33	10 13 7 56 57 32
Dartford	32	10 13 7 56 57 32
York City	32	10 13 7 56 57 32
Hartlepools United	34	24 25 10 53 50 32
Acreley	34	24 25 10 53 50 32
Third Division—Southern Section		
Newport County	34	20 7 7 52 38 47
Crystal Palace	32	15 9 8 55 44 38
Brighton and Hove	32	15 10 8 55 44 38
Bristol City	32	15 10 8 55 44 38
Gwyn's Park Rangers	32	14 9 9 63 41 37
Walsall	32	11 11 7 56 57 33
West Ham United	32	12 13 7 56 57 33
Portsmouth	32	10 13 7 56 57 33
Southend United	32	10 13 7 56 57 33
Bournemouth	32	10 13 7 56 57 33
Hamilton Academicals	34	10 13 7 56 57 33
Nottingham Forest	33	10 13 7 56 57 33
Kilmarnock	33	13 11 7 56 57 33
Queens Park Thistle	32	10 13 7 56 57 33
Clyde	32	10 13 7 56 57 33
Hibernians	32	10 13 7 56 57 33
Argyle	32	10 13 7 56 57 33
Third Lanark	32	10 13 7 56 57 33
St. Mirren	32	10 13 7 56 57 33
Arbroath	32	10 13 7 56 57 33
Greenock Park	32	10 13 7 56 57 33
Albion Rovers	32	9 10 5 56 57 33
Rainbow Rovers	32	8 10 5 56 57 33
Walsall	32	8 10 5 56 57 33
SCOTTISH LEAGUE		
Rangers	33	23 7 7 106 28 53
Celtic	32	17 8 7 56 44 41
Aberdeen	32	17 10 7 56 44 41
Queen of South	32	17 10 7 56 44 41
Hearts	32	17 10 7 56 44 41
Falkirk	32	16 11 7 56 44 41
St. Johnstone	32	16 11 7 56 44 41
Hamilton Academicals	32	16 11 7 56 44 41
Motherwell	32	16 11 7 56 44 41
Kilmarnock	32	16 11 7 56 44 41
Clyde	32	16 11 7 56 44 41
Hibernians	32	17 12 7 56 44 41
Argyle	32	17 12 7 56 44 41
Third Lanark	32	10 15 7 56 44 41
St. Mirren	32	9 10 7 56 44 41
Arbroath	32	9 10 7 56 44 41
Greenock Park	32	9 10 7 56 44 41
Albion Rovers	32	9 10 7 56 44 41
Rainbow Rovers	32	9 10 7 56 44 41
Second Division		
Belfast Celtic	29	24 2 7 101 28 53
Portsmouth United	29	6 6 0 24 4 12
East Fife	29	5 4 1 0 11 6 8
Airdrieonians	29	10 6 5 57 33 43
Almondvale Athletics	29	10 6 5 57 33 43
Dundee United	29	10 6 5 57 33 43
Dundee United	29	12 4 7 71 23 30
Morton	29	10 15 6 57 33 43
Dumbarton	29	8 11 10 58 68 26
Perth City	29	10 15 6 58 68 26
Forfar Athletic	29	10 15 6 58 68 26
King's Park	29	10 17 1 71 23 30
Montrose	29	10 17 1 71 23 30
Forres Thistle	29	7 18 4 75 71 30
Third Athletic	29	7 18 4 75 71 30
St. Mirren	29	7 18 4 75 71 30
Shamburgh City	28	9 10 4 70 100 14
IRISH LEAGUE		
Belfast Celtic	29	24 2 7 101 28 53
Portsmouth United	29	6 6 0 24 4 12
Ballymena United	5	4 1 0 11 6 8
Belfast Celtic	6	3 1 2 18 9 8
Glentoran	6	3 2 1 21 11 7
Derry City	6	3 2 1 21 11 7
Dundalk	6	2 1 2 14 12 7
Coleraine	6	2 1 2 14 12 7
Ards	6	2 1 2 14 12 7
Cliftonville	6	2 1 2 14 12 7
TORONTO-AMERICANS		
First period—1, Toronto, Kelly (Metz), 4.09. Penalties: Chamberlain, Jerwa, Horner.		
Second period—1, Toronto, Lissombe, 13.31; 2, Canadiens, Trudel (Drouin, Lorraine), 17.25. Penalty: Jones.		
Third period—4, Toronto, Dillon (Apps, Horner), 2.31. Penalties: Wentworth, Wares, Blake, Jones.		
WANNAHACOMBE		
First period—1, Wanahacome, 1.00. Penalties: Summerhill, Liscombe, Monodou, Young.		
Second period—1, Wanahacome, 1.00. Penalties: Trudel (Drouin, Lorraine), 14.47. Penalties: Kampman, Jackson, Smith.		
Third period—4, Wanahacome, Dillon (Apps, Horner), 2.31. Penalties: Field, Horner, Smith (minor and misconduct).		

J. Adam Funeral Largely Attended

**Rotarians Form Guard
Honor; Representatives
Of Many Bodies Present**

St. Andrew's Cathedral was filled this morning for the requiem mass for the repose of the soul of James Adam, former alderman of the city, prominent Rotarian and well-known sports figure.

Rev. Father J. A. Gaudette said the funeral mass, while Bishop John C. Cody sat in the sanctuary with four priests.

The casket reposed before the High Altar, covered with its pall of black and gold and flanked by six tall burning tapers. There were no flowers in the church.

Members of the Rotary Club, headed by the president, G. Hamilton Harman, formed a guard of honor from the hearse to the cathedral doors. Among them were two former mayors, Herbert Anscomb, M.P.P., and J. Carl Pendray and the Minister of Labor, Hon. George S. Pearson.

Behind the Rotary Club a group of uniformed city firemen stood at attention.

Inside the cathedral was a body of uniformed nurses from St. Joseph's Hospital, of which Mr. Adam had been a director, and members of the Sisterhood of St. Ann.

The members of the City Council and their wives and heads of City Hall departments attended the body of representatives of the Dominion Basketball Club, of which Mr. Adam was a member of the executive, and players of the team were present.

During the service Madame M. Griffaton sang "Veni Jesu" (Cherubini) and "Ple Jesu" (Wiegand). Miss Marguerite Mc Kay was at the organ and the

casket left the cathedral she played Schubert's "Ave Maria."

Two extra cars were required to carry the wealth of floral tributes which testified to the general esteem in which Mr. Adam was held in all walks of life in Victoria.

The pallbearers were: Mayor Andrew McGavin, Frank J. Sehl, Herbert J. Pendray, Percy B. Scurrah, H. A. Goward and Alex McDermott.

Vancouver Doctor Held Up in Home

VANCOUVER (CP)—Dr. R. J. Elvin, a city physician, told police he was held up and robbed of \$20 as he sat talking with his wife in the sunroom of their home.

Dr. Elvin reported he heard a tapping on a window of the room. A moment later the pane was smashed and a masked gunman thrust an automatic through the opening and demanded money. The doctor handed over several bills and tried to snatch the gun from the bandit.

The man pulled the weapon free, tearing his victim's hand on a piece of glass before he fled into the darkness.

Overnight Entries At Tanforan

First race—Six furlongs—Sistina 105, Red Chalk 110, Down Hill 110, Victorian 114, Starburst 110, Shasta 110, King's Crown 110, Howdy Andy 115.

Second race—Six furlongs—El Portal 110, Dr Spoon 105, Guaranty 113, Born Free 110, Chief Pilot 105, Bush Boy 112, The Phoenix 105, New Friend 105.

Third race—Six furlongs—Schoolroom 108, Runwood 103, Indian Dream 118, Party Queen 103, Miss Loan 103, Black Diamond 108, King's Crown 108, Shasta 103, Miss Judy 113, Emily M. 103.

Fourth race—Six furlongs—Harvey G. 110, Bluebird 105, Warlander 105, Goldenrod 105, Shasta 105, King's Crown 112, Mickey's Man 113, Tall Oak 113, Flying Hail 113.

Fifth race—Six furlongs—Jesus Cloud 110, Sweep Better 105, Pe'ytak 108, Gruber 113, Ste. Louise 105, Sweep Royal 113, Ben Fume 108—Broadway Breeze 113, King's Crown 110.

Sixth race—Mile and 70 yards—Spring Flood 120, Born Happy 117, Torino 114, Bunny Martin 113, Come To Taw 113, Lane Duck 112, Cerro 117, Undulate 114, Duke 112, King's Crown 113.

Seventh race—Mile and a sixteenth—Glittering 115, Japse 115, Battling Knight 115, King's Crown 115, Rich Boy 115, King's Fury 110, Holster 112.

Eighth race—Mile and a sixteenth—Ruth Jefferson 115, King's Crown 115, Shasta Shimp 116, Mulch 113, Standard Time 118, Bottled 118, Sage Leaf 110.

SHAWNIGAN LAKE—The Girl Guide Association held their annual meeting in the Brownie Hut, Mrs. M. E. Kimloch occupying the chair.

Election of office-bearers resulted as follows: President, Mrs. M. E. Kimloch; vice-president, Mrs. A. Layton; secretary-treasurer, Mrs. E. G. Gibson; ways and means, Mrs. C. G. Jones; refreshments convener, Mrs. A. Layton; membership convener, Mrs. W. Maitland.

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Three hundred members of the Britannia Branch, Canadian Legion, and invited guests will attend the annual dinner of the branch to be held in the Empress Hotel on Friday night at 7.30. A program of toasts and entertainment has been arranged.

James Morton, who recently returned from a visit to Great Britain and the continent after a long absence, will speak to the Men's Parish Guild of Christ Church Cathedral tomorrow evening at 8 in the Memorial Hall, Courtney Street entrance. Mr. Morton has chosen as his subject "England, Then and Now."

Last night in the Y.M.C.A., Mrs. E. W. Abraham addressed the Victoria and District British-Israel Association on "Totalitarianism versus the Kingdom of God." Mrs. Abraham declared that compared to totalitarianism, systems which aim to provide for man's material welfare, the British-Israel message of the Kingdom has the answer to every problem, and is not nationalistic as so many claim, but is internationalism of the highest order, its aim and object being to spread all over the world and to bring all people into the Kingdom as they accept Christ. The only national part is that as a missionary nation Israel is the humble servant of God, chosen for service and not for superiority or favoritism, she said.

VANCOUVER (CP)—Alderman John Bennett yesterday warned the Vancouver City Council's finance committee to go slowly in spending money in anticipation of the visit of the King and Queen here in May, because "it may be money thrown away."

"In view of world events, it is better to go very slow in spending money," the alderman said. "We don't know if Their Majesties will be able to come after all."

VANCOUVER (CP)—Plans to

White Rock Waterworks Company has applied to the Public Utilities Commission for permission to extend its pumping system and plant to supply summer trade at the holiday resort.

Miss Jeanette Stark, 133 Moss Street, suffered injuries which required treatment at St. Joseph's Hospital when she was injured when knocked down by a car at Vancouver Street and Fairfield Road last night. The car was driven by Mrs. Alice A. Todd, 24 Maquinna Avenue, a police reporter said. Miss Stark was attended by Dr. J. W. Lennox.

Members of the Provincial Recreation Centres will hold their final dance of the season at the Crystal Garden ballroom tomorrow night at 9, with one of the city's smartest orchestras in attendance. A military tap number includes Muriel Ross, Lucy Frankham, Mary Casson, Isobel Colbourne, Jerry Robbins and Pat Borde, under the direction of Frances Borde.

Arguing in the negative on the question "that married women should be prohibited by law from engaging in gainful occupations," the Victoria Junior Chamber of Commerce debating team, comprised of John Baxter, Leslie F. Osborne and Donald Brake, won an intercity debate against Seattle's Toastmasters' Club last Saturday in the Sound City. The Seattle team comprised A. C. Schlosstein, Max Wells and Don Billings. Judges were Clarence Bailey, Rev. Dr. McGee and Judge Lawler of the Supreme Court of Washington State. Frank Hunter accompanied the Victoria team.

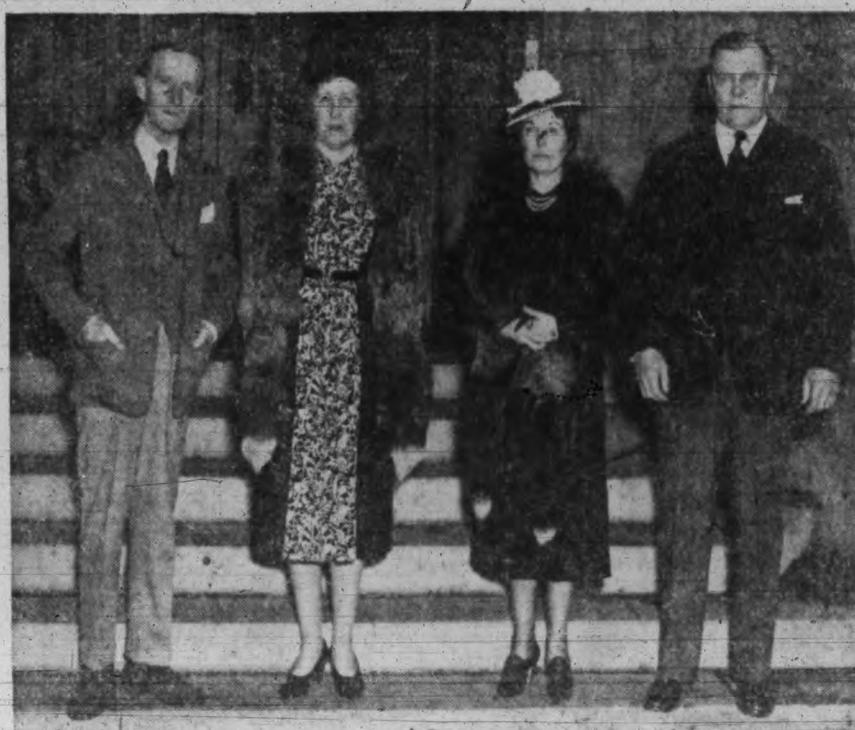
This evening at 5 the Victoria section of Associated Radio Technicians of B.C. will meet at the Royal Colwood Golf Club for the annual general meeting and election of officers. Following the business meeting, a banquet will be held in the club dining room. A number of members from the up-island chapter are expected to attend, as well as a delegation from the mainland group.

On their previous sitting here early in February, Sir Richard and Col. Peck heard 25 other cases and have since held sittings in Nanaimo and Vancouver. The Victoria hearings are being held in the Post Office Building, with G. H. Sedgwick, pension advocate for the Veterans' Bureau, representing the pensioners.

German scientists have reported finding a substitute for the quicksilver used in processing rabbit hair in the felt hat industry.

All morning long reports were received in the Times newsrooms that three desperate criminals had been taken in by police, but inquiry proved this wrong.

One of the men was caught and taken into headquarters, where he was released after questioning. "The other two were headed north when last seen," was the report from the city desk sergeant.



ENJOYING SPRING SUNSHINE IN VICTORIA—After five months of winter in Ottawa, Their Excellencies the Governor-General of Canada and Lady Tweedsmuir are spending two weeks in the warm spring sunshine of Victoria. When the above picture was taken at Government House at noon today Their Excellencies were ready for a stroll with His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor and Mrs. E. W. Hamber through the spacious gardens. Their Excellencies are on the left of the picture.

TOWN TOPICS

Technocracy Inc. will meet at 222 Pemberton Building tonight at 8. Roy Plater will be the speaker.

Tolls will go into effect on the Cariboo Highway this year on April 1, it was announced at the Legislative Buildings this morning.

Ward Four, Victoria Liberal Association, will hold a general business meeting this evening at Liberal headquarters, corner of Broughton and Government Streets.

Amendments to a by-law enabling the City of Prince George to get a \$25,000 federal loan under the Municipal Improvement Assistance Act were approved by the provincial government today.

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Third Mate to Yacht Command

Captain A. H. Frogbrook of Fantome Holds Coveted Ship-Berth

Three years ago he was running here as third mate of the Royal Mail refrigerator ship Nebraska.

Today, Capt. A. H. Frogbrook, commander of Hon. A. E. Guinness's luxury yacht Fantome, holds one of the most envied jobs in the business of navigation.

It might be said that he inherited the berth, for his father, Capt. H. E. Frogbrook, was sailing master for the Earl of Iveagh in his lifetime and is still master of the bark-rigged Fantome II, also owned by Mr. Guinness and now swinging at anchor at Cowes, Isle of Wight.

The master of the Fantome, which reached Victoria yesterday afternoon from Southampton, is only 35 years old and he considers himself fortunate in being entrusted with the command of this magnificent yacht.

Probably nothing just like the Fantome has previously been seen in these waters. There is beauty in every line of the schooner-rigged, clipper-bowed craft. Her high pock deck, substantial companion ladders leading from the main deck, square side ports resembling the gun ports of a war frigate, her towering masts and clipper bow capped by golden eagle, lend a buccaneer atmosphere that strangely contrasts with the yacht's luxurious interior appointments.

It was the Duke of Westminster who had the vessel built to his order of British steel in an Italian shipyard. She was launched as the Flying Cloud by the Societa Anonimacantieri Navali Orlando Livorno in 1927. When Mr. Guinness bought the yacht he renamed her Fantome.

Last year the owner took a party on a cruise of the Norwegian fjords and the year previous he visited Eastern Canada and the Great Lakes.

This voyage the Fantome made the voyage out from Southampton in 36 days with calls at West Indies, Central American and California ports.

Mr. Guinness and his guests

Around the Docks

ELAINE, IN DRYDOCK, TO RESUME SUNDAY

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Spoken By Wireless

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EMPRESS OF RUSSIA, Orient for Victoria, 1,407 miles from Victoria.

EMPRESS OF CANADA, Victoria for Ontario via Honolulu, 811 miles from Honolulu.

ALDINGTON COURT, for Victoria, 100 miles west of Estevan, Saskatchewan.

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OUR BOARDING HOUSE, with Major Hoople



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OUT OUR WAY-

By Williams



WHY MOTHERS GET GRAY

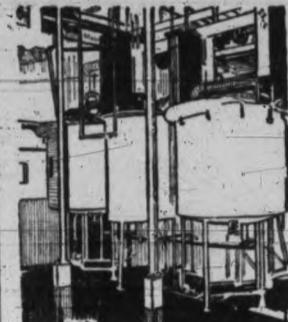
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Uncle Ray

Milk and Its Products

3—POWDERED AND CON-DENSED MILK

Do you remember when I spoke of the "iron cow" I saw on an ocean steamer last year? It wasn't real cow, but it turned water and milk powder into a drink which was spoken of as "milk."



Huge cream containers in a large dairy.

SIDE GLANCES

By George Clark



3-22

"I have to get a good price for it. My husband upholstered it himself and you know how valuable his time is."

Dorothy Dix's Letter Box

DEAR DOROTHY DIX—I try to be a good husband. My wife is a good wife and a hard-working homemaker, but she has one fault that is eventually going to drive us to the divorce court. It is the slovenly way in which she runs the house and the fact that she does not even attempt to teach the children any manners. She prepares a good meal, but she slaps it down on the table helter-skelter and it is everybody for themselves. We have six boys from 13 years of age down and not one of them knows how to eat properly, but when I try to interfere and teach them some table etiquette she hits the ceiling and we get absolutely nowhere. What should I do?

WORRIED HUSBAND.

Answer: Children have a natural inclination to eat like pigs. If your wife encourages them in feeding that way, I am afraid there is very little you can do about it. Possibly you can have some influence with the older ones by talking to them privately and making them understand that they will be rated more by their table manners than by anything else.

No matter how famous, how important, how clever a man is, it does not offset his not knowing his way among the silver. I often think of a very brilliant and witty after-dinner speaker I once knew whose eloquence was always overshadowed by the fact that he grasped his knife and fork as if he were about to dig a ditch with them instead of using them as table appointments.

Perchance your wife is one of the optimistic and lazy women who think that some miracle will happen that will change untutored children into elegant gentlemen. But it never occurs. Children have to have good manners taught them in their childhood, or they never acquire them. It is only the children who have been brought up to believe that eating peas with a knife is a crime on a par with murder who ever have the perfect manners that come of habit. Certainly you should send your children away to school where they will be taught manners if their mother won't do it.

DEAR MISS DIX—How can lost time be regained?

MARY W.

Answer: It can't. What's past is past and there is no recalling it. That is why it is so important that we should make the most of now and here.

DOROTHY DIX.

Today's Crossword Puzzle



HOROSCOPE

Thursday March 23, 1939

After the early hours benefit aspects rule today, according to astrology. There is a forbidding sign for any sort of speculation.

The morning may be unfavorable for attempting changes or reforms. Suspicion of motives may be general among men and women of the great middle class.

Whatever tends to build or develop established enterprises is well directed under this planetary government. It is a lucky day for civic improvements and for city planning.

College men and women will succeed in trades and in minor positions where trained hands as well as trained minds are useful. Social standards, long changing, will become adjusted as intelligence extends.

Growth of associations hostile to democracy will be rapid at this time, it is prophesied. Sporadic arrests of persons under suspicion will have an effect contrary to that desired, by representatives of the law.

Persons whose birth is favorable will have the augury of a year of advancement in which past labors will be rewarded. Both men and women should enjoy many happy days.

Children born on this day probably will be forceful and persistent in pursuing their careers. These subjects of Aries are usually self-reliant and courageous. Their lucky day is Tuesday.

the wife. 1, 6 Pictured. 53 Sea gull. 3 To squall. 21 Male child. 4 Liquid. 22 Large cask. 5 Slightest. 23 Half an em. 7 Above. 24 Feudal. 8 Incarnation of 25 Intention. 9 Vishnu. 26 Wild duck. 10 Electric term. 27 Tatter. 11 Large ratite. 28 Energy. 12 Barley. 29 Tatter. 13 Spikelet. 30 Greek letter. 14 Large rattle. 31 Membranous. 15 His native land. 32 Bag. 16 Use of a 33 Cattle yard. 34 Seagull. 35 Liver fluid. 36 Russian mountains. 37 Converses. 38 Large cask. 39 Question. 40 To slide. 41 Tree yielding oil. 42 Vended. 43 To burn into ashes. 44 Portuguese. 45 Position in time. 46 Example. 47 Rental contracts. 48 Tree yielding oil. 49 To annoy. 50 To divorce.

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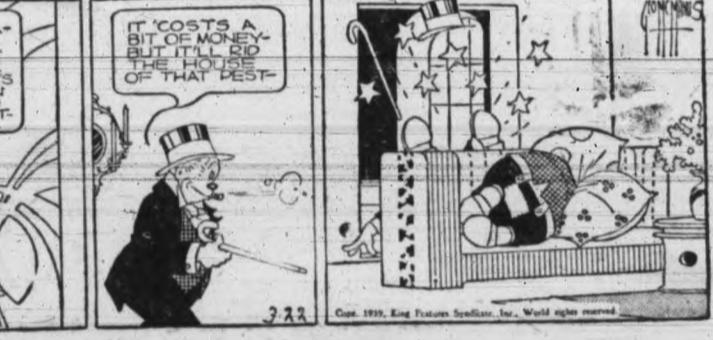
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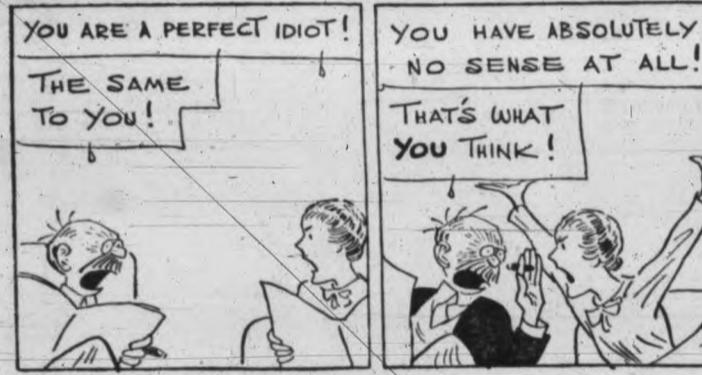
By Martin

Bringing Up Father



By George McManus

Mr. and Mrs.



(ONE HOUR LATER)

LET'S FORGET IT. I DON'T KNOW WHAT IT WAS NEITHER DO I—EXCEPT IT WAS YOUR FAULT

ALL ABOUT DO I !

E.H.

By V.T. Hamlin

A



By Merrill Blosser

Fool Loses His Moustache



By L. Allen Heine

Bela Lanan — Court Reporter



By Tony Gallo

HERE IS WHAT TONY GALLO SHOWED TO HIS FRIEND... JOE VENDATTA!
LOOK, JOE! IT CAME IN THE MAIL LAST WEEK!
Tony Gallo
At once you got to living—\$500!
The rest you can imagine.
The last letter, and this is the last letter, you are going to pay.
Tony Gallo
You received the first letter, you did not come to see me today. This is the last letter. This is the last letter. If you are going to pay, you are going to be killed!

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Prisoners' Aid Work Praised

Mrs. Paul Smith
Compliments John Howard Society

conditions, and expressed her views saying: "The prisons are schools of crime rather than institutions of change and correction." Before sending a young man or woman to prison, three plans should be first tried. They were, probation, foster homes and re-establishment of the individual's home. If these failed, then the person should be trained and reawakened in prison, not punished.

Each prisoner should be studied for his particular talent, and trained accordingly. A qualified leader should be in charge, not to act merely as a guard but as a teacher. The men in charge should be able to contribute something of good to the inmate.

In speaking of the recently organized "Neighborhood House" in Vancouver, Mrs. Smith urged that such a project be started in Victoria.

A vote of thanks was extended to the speaker by Mr. Comley on behalf of the members.

Rev. J. D. Hobden, general secretary of the John Howard Society, Vancouver, spoke briefly giving experience had in his work in prisons.

LOCAL WORK DONE

The report submitted by Mrs. Mitchell, which was lauded by the chairman and speakers, showed that from the beginning of May to the end of August of last year, 92 visits were paid to the local office of the society. From the beginning of September to the end of March there were 219 visits. Most of those who called were in need of food, clothing and shelter—and all in need of work.

In a few cases it was possible to supply a man with the essential tools of his trade to enable him to become self-supporting. Many men were aided medically.

The report showed appreciation of the Community Chest grant of \$300 and also the Family Welfare Association for giving access to the society to their clothing department.

The financial statement gave a balance on hand of \$3.55, and from this, the president raised the question that a larger donation might be asked, from the Community Chest.

Royal Oak

Under the auspices of St. Michael's Women's Auxiliary an illustrated lecture was given Monday evening in the Parish Hall by Dean H. Speicher Elliott. During the lecture the dean gave an amusing recitation of his own composition.

A daffodil tea will be held in the Community Hall under the auspices of the Royal Oak Women's Institute, March 29, from 5 to 5.

Langford

The girls' branch of St. Matthew's W.A. will be held on Friday, March 24, at 8 at the home of Miss Rosamary Bullen, Marshwood.

Mrs. Smith spoke of prison

ber Margison and Herbert Botten forming a string quartette.

The accompanists will be Mrs. Grace Timp, Miss Doreen Briggs, Miss Jessie Smith, Mrs. Jack Barracough and Cyril C. Warren.

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